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SUBJ: AUCTION OF ABANDONED GOODS AT CUSTOMS

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1. GOP WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION ALL MERCHANDISE, VEHICLES AND LUGGAGE WHICH ARRIVED IN PERUVIAN CUSTOMS DURING 1977 AND DECLARED ABANDONED IF CONSIGNEES AND/OR OWNERS DO NOT REMOVE THEM BEFORE APRIL 28, 1978. GOODS CAN BE RECOVERED THROUGH PAYMENT OF APPROPRIATE CUSTOMS DUTIES, TAXES AND OTHER CHARGES.

2. GOP HAD EARLIER SET DEADLINE OF JANUARY 30, 1978 BUT EXTENDED IT IN LIGHT CURRENT PROBLEMS OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE SHORTAGE AND BANKING CREDIT RESTRICTIONS.

3. AS SET FORTH BY CUSTOMS REGULATIONS (SEE REFAIR), GOODS ARE CONSIDERED ABANDONED IF NO REQUEST FOR CLEARANCE IS PRESENTED TO CUSTOMS WITHIN 3 MONTHS OF DISCHARGE AT THE PORT OF DESTINATION FOR GOODS ARRIVING BY SEA AND 2 MONTHS FOR GOODS ARRIVING BY AIR OR LAND.

4. WHILE EMBASSY HAS NOT BEEN ADVISED OF ANY AMERICAN GOODS IN DANGER OF BEING AUCTIONED OFF ON APRIL 28, A FEW U.S. TRADERS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY DECREE LAW 21908 (MODIFIED BY D. L. 22096). DEPARTMENT SHOULD SUGGEST THAT US EXPORTERS DOUBLE CHECK WITH THEIR PERUVIAN REPRESENTATIVES TO ENSURE THAT NONE OF

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THEIR SHIPMENTS MADE IN 1977 ARE STILL IN PERUVIAN CUSTOMS.
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